



BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002

Fayette , Illinois [17051]

Fayette is one of 102 counties in Illinois. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2002 population of 21,499 ranked 57th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Fayette had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$19,160. This PCPI ranked 96th in the state and was 58 percent of the state average, \$32,891, and 62 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected a decrease of 0.7 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.1 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Fayette was \$14,578 and ranked 94th in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.8 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Fayette had a total personal income (TPI) of \$411,925*. This TPI ranked 65th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Fayette was \$303,018* and ranked 65th in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 0.7 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.6 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Fayette. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 55.7 percent of TPI (compared with 56.2 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 19.5 percent (compared with 21.5 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 24.8 percent (compared with 22.3 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings increased 0.8 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 12.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.4 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 3.0 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.2 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Fayette increased from \$220,242* in 2001 to \$222,271* in 2002, an increase of 0.9 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$160,437* to the 2002 estimate was 3.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

**Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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